Academic Honors Convocation 2011

FACULTY AWARDS

University and Distinguished Professors

University Professors

William Dickens, Professor of Economics
Judith Hall, Professor of Psychology
Sheila Puffer, Professor and Cherry Family Senior Fellow of International Business and Strategy

Distinguished Professors

Vincent G. Harris, William Lincoln Smith Chair Professor in Electrical and Computer Engineering
Kim Lewis, Professor of Biology

Excellence in Teaching Awards

Lori M. Gardinier, Associate Academic Specialist in Human Services
Gregory S. Goodale, Assistant Professor of Communication Studies

Excellence in Research and Creative Activity Awards

Stephen Nathanson, Professor of Philosophy and Religion
Vladimir Torchilin, Distinguished Professor of Pharmaceutical Sciences

Klein University Lecturer Award

Vincent G. Harris, William Lincoln Smith Chair Professor in Electrical and Computer Engineering

Election to the Institute of Medicine

Hortensia Amaro, Distinguished Professor of Counseling and Applied Psychology and Director of the Institute on Urban Health Research
UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT AWARDS

Harry S. Truman Scholar
Matthew Cournoyer, SSH’12, political science

Barry M. Goldwater Scholar
José Orozco, S’13, biochemistry major, mathematics minor

Harold D. Hodgkinson Achievement Awards
Steven W. Criscione, S’11, biochemistry and mathematics
Nicholas Daggett, E’11, mechanical engineering
Kenneth McGrady, CIS’11, computer science and mathematics
Amanda Strobel, BA’11, business administration/finance
Sarah Tishler, SSH’11, international affairs, psychology, and French

Presidential Global Fellows
Kaitlin Ostrander, BHS’11, health sciences. International co-op in Chigamba Village, Malawi, at the Little Field Home Orphanage
Sarah Tishler, SSH’11, international affairs, psychology, and French. International co-op in Geneva, Switzerland, at the Geneva Centre for Security Policy

GRADUATE STUDENT AWARDS

Outstanding Graduate Student Awards

Graduate Research Awards
Jolie Baumann, doctoral candidate in psychology
Tao Wang, doctoral candidate in pharmaceutical sciences

Graduate Teaching Awards
Jennifer Sopchockchai, doctoral candidate in English
Nizar Zaarour, doctoral candidate in industrial engineering
STAFF AWARDS

Outstanding Service Award

Jack Malone, Director of Physical Plant Services

Innovation Awards

Ronné Patrick Turner, Associate Vice President of Enrollment and Dean of Admissions and Marketing; and Pat Plunkett, Senior Associate Dean for International Engagement, on behalf of the N.U.in team
Kerry Salerno, Director of Enrollment Marketing and Communication, on behalf of the Word of Mouth Blog team

PRESIDENTIAL MEDALLION

George Kostas, E’43, Hon.’07, distinguished alumnus, leader, and benefactor